

# News of Interest to Washington Churchgoers

## CHURCH DRIVE ON TOMORROW

Interchurch World Movement Campaign Begins Here.

The Interchurch World Movement campaign for a budget of \$336,777,572, to be used in the spread of Christianity begins tomorrow, and will continue for one week.

Thirty denominations are co-operating in the Interchurch World Movement, and the budget desired has been fixed by these denominations.

Devotional services in connection with the interchurch campaign are to be held daily during the coming week in Keith's Theater, which are open to the public. Addresses will be made between 12:30 and 1 p. m. daily, as follows:

Monday—Rev. Dr. Herbert F. Randolph, Foundry Methodist Episcopal Church.

Tuesday—Rev. Dr. Henry Allen Tupper, First Baptist Church.

Wednesday—Rev. Dr. George M. Diffenderfer, Luther Memorial Church.

Thursday—Rev. Dr. Charles Wood, Church of the Covenant.

Friday—Rev. Dr. J. Henning Nelms, Church of the Ascension.

Saturday—Rev. Dr. Earle Wilkey, Vermont Avenue Christian Church.

There will be no solicitation of funds at these services.

The meetings have been arranged by the Interchurch World Movement in connection with the Washington Federation of Churches. A widely known soloist will sing at each service.

A mass meeting at which it is expected Vice President Marshall will speak, is being arranged by the committee for the first part of the week.

## Epworth League Notes

Tomorrow night's devotional meeting topic is "Will a Man Rob God?" The reference is found in Mal. 3:7-12.

Beginning tonight the District League will conduct a convention at Cheltenham Chapter, Cheltenham, Md. The program will start this evening with a social. Tomorrow morning the District officers will speak in the Sunday school and in the morning church service. Departmental conferences will be held in the afternoon, followed by the league devotional meeting and an evangelistic service in charge of the District officers.

The regular monthly morning watch will be held tomorrow morning at Wesley Chapel, at 6:30, under the leadership of Dr. McCoy. The attendance last month was the largest we have had, and it is hoped that this month will be even better.

Charles F. Linger, District secretary of promotion, will address the Rosedale Epworth League in its devotional service tomorrow evening. At Douglas Chapter tomorrow evening the services will be in

## Many Washington Churches Promise Special Musical Program at Sunday Services

Musical programs of unusual interest are promised in local houses of worship tomorrow morning. At the 11 o'clock service at All Souls' Unitarian Church, in the Knickerbocker Theater, Maj. Titman, a bass of rare quality, will be heard, assisted by Miss Netta Craig, soprano, and Lewis Corning Atwater, organist, in a program which includes "How Beautiful Upon the Mountains," soprano solo; "Gloria," Buzzi-Peccia, bass solo, and a duet from Mendelssohn's "Elijah." Among the organ numbers will be Glazounoff's "Prelude in D Flat," Du Bois' "Andante," and the march from "Hamlet," by Ambrose Thomas.

**Mt. Pleasant Congregational.** As arranged by Claude Robeson, organist and musical director at the Mt. Pleasant Congregational Church, the Mt. Pleasant Chorus, under the direction of Norton M. Little, will furnish the music for the morning service, while the solo quartette will offer an unusual program at the vespers service. Miss Frances Scherger, soprano; Miss Agnes Charnstrom, contralto; James K. Young, tenor, and Herman Fakler, bass, will give the following program at the vespers service: Organ prelude, "Idyll," Merkel; tenor solo, selected; quartette, "There Is a City Great and Strong," Schnecker, and organ postlude, "Postlude in B Flat," West.

**Vermont Avenue Christian Church.** Rev. Earle Wilkey will preach tomorrow morning on "Visions" at the Vermont Avenue Christian Church. Following the sermon, a preparatory service will be held for the afternoon canvass of the entire membership of the church by 100 young men, in accordance with the plan of the Interchurch World Movement.

**First Congregational Church.** "How the People of the United

charge of R. R. Grooms and Miss Rhoda Jamieson.

The third series of debates will be held tomorrow evening, but the subject has been slightly changed and made more definite. The new subject is: "Resolved, That a Layman has Greater Opportunities for Christian Service than an Ordained Minister." Lincoln Road on the affirmative of the question, and Petworth for the negative, will debate at Petworth at 8 p. m. Iowa Avenue will debate the affirmative of the question against Anacostia on the negative, at Iowa Avenue, at 8 o'clock. After the debate at Iowa Avenue everybody will hike to Petworth, where a joint social for the four chapters will be held.

**Wednesday evening Langdon chapter will conduct a social at the church under Miss Nina Murray, local fourth vice president, and Miss Mildred Loudon, District fourth vice president.**

States Formed a More Perfect Union" will be the subject of the sermon Rev. Dr. E. Gates will preach tomorrow morning at the First Congregational Church. "The Rati-fying Conventions" will be the subject of the evening sermon. Throughout the week Dr. G. Campbell Morgan, of London, England, the great expository preacher, will speak twice daily, except Saturday, April 25 to May 7, weekdays at 4:15 and 8:00 p. m.

**Eckington Presbyterian Church.** At the Eckington Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning Rev. H. E. Brundage will speak on "Christian Cohesion" in the morning, and for his evening sermon will discuss "Protestant Fundamentals" and "The Divinity of Christ."

**New York Avenue Presbyterian.** Dr. Wallace Radcliffe, pastor of the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, will preach both morning and evening tomorrow. The New Era will be the subject of his 11 o'clock sermon, and at 8 o'clock he will talk on "The Word 'Evangelical'."

**Ninth Street Christian Church.** "Half-Way Christians" will be the subject of Rev. George A. Miller's Sunday morning sermon at the Ninth Street Christian Church. In the evening he will give the first of a series of four related Sunday night sermons, "How Christ Came," to be followed in order by "How Christ Went," "Where Christ Went," and "How Christ Will Come Again."

**Temple Baptist Church.** Rev. J. J. Moore will preach both morning and evening tomorrow at the Temple Baptist Church. For his morning sermon, 11 a. m., "Lessons from Saints" is announced, and in the evening, 8 p. m., he will preach on "Lessons from Sufferers." John H. Schieswohl, Washington branch manager of the "Ship-by-truck Bureau" of the Firestone Tire Company, will talk to the young men of the church on modern business and business methods Sunday morning.

**Fifth Baptist Church.** "A Saved Soul and a Lost Life" will form the subject of Pastor Dr. John E. Briggs at the Fifth Baptist Church Sunday night, following the baptism of a large class.

**Centennial Baptist Church.** Several reasons "Why a Woman Changes Her Mind" are promised by Pastor E. Hez Swem at the Centennial Baptist Church Sunday night at 8 o'clock. "Why Every One Is Not Healed in Washington" will be the subject of the morning sermon.

**Petworth Baptist Church.** Rev. H. P. Rixey, of Fredericksburg, Va., will again preach at Petworth Baptist Church Sunday night at 8 o'clock. After the debate at Iowa Avenue everybody will hike to Petworth, where a joint social for the four chapters will be held.

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## WORLD RELIEF, LUTHERAN AIM

Mass Meeting Will Be Held In Interest of \$1,000,000 Campaign.

Continuing the work of its wartime commission, which disbursed over \$1,300,000 in the interest of soldiers and sailors, the National Lutheran Council is conducting a world service campaign for \$1,000,000.

In February, 1919, more than \$600,000 was contributed for reconstruction at home and abroad. Later in the year thousands of tons of clothing and thousands of dollars were given for Polish relief.

A mass meeting in the interests of this campaign will be held in the Memorial Lutheran Church, Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. The Rev. W. E. Schuette, of Wheeling, W. Va., and the Rev. A. L. Benz, of Toledo, Ohio, will be among the speakers.

ture of the series, "Making the Most of Myself," subject: "Conflict, Conquest, and Coronation."

**North Carolina Avenue Methodist Protestant Church.** Rev. J. Franklin Bryan, pastor of the North Carolina Avenue Methodist Protestant Church, will preach on "The Message of the Church to This Age," tomorrow morning, and in the evening his subject will be: "Gideon's Band—Up-to-date."

**Foundry Methodist Church.** "Christ's Appearance, to Doubt," the second of his series of sermons on "The Appearance of the Living Christ," will be the subject of Rev. Herbert F. Randolph's sermon tomorrow morning at the Foundry Methodist Church. The Foundry Quartette and Prof. Anton Kaspar will give a musical program at 8 o'clock Sunday night, followed by Dr. Randolph's sermon, "The Philosopher's Perplexity."

**Mt. Pleasant Methodist Episcopal.** Rev. John Nelson Mills, D. D., will address the Men's Bible Class at Mt. Pleasant Methodist Episcopal Church, South, on "The Foreigners—A Menace, or a Contribution?" tomorrow morning.

**Free Methodist Church.** Rev. H. Z. Albaugh, pastor of the Free Methodist Church, will preach both morning and evening tomorrow.

**American University Chapel.** Services will be held by Rev. Frank W. Collier, Ph. D., at the American University Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

**All Souls' Unitarian.** "Is Ours an Easy Religion?" will be the subject of Dr. Ulysses G. B. Pierce, of All Souls' Church at the morning service in the Knickerbocker Theater.

**Peck Memorial Presbyterian.** At the Peck Memorial Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning, Rev. Irving W. Ketchum will preach on "Jesus on the Law of Self Preservation." At 7:45 p. m., he will deliver "The Third Story."

## SEEK \$100,000 FOR HOME FUND

Campaign for Hebrews' Institution Begins With Benefit Play.

A campaign to raise \$100,000 for the erection of an addition to the Hebrew Home for the Aged will be launched tomorrow night with a benefit play at the Shubert Garrick Theater. The play, "Common Clay," will be presented in Hebrew by a Hebrew cast from New York. B. Danzansky, chairman of the campaign committee, is in charge of the performance. He states the campaign will be formally opened here next week.

Leon Bank and Dora Weisman will play the leading parts in "Common Clay." The remainder of the cast includes Isadore Melzer, M. Silberman, M. Silberstein, David Popper, Mrs. J. Waxman, Mrs. M. Weisner, Miss Lillian Kasten and A. Schorr. The company is now playing in New York.

The Hebrew Home for the Aged, 415 M street northwest, was erected six years ago. Sixteen aged men were admitted to the institution at present, and officers of the Home state the erection of an annex, planned to face on Fourth street, is necessary. Officials of the campaign committee plan to have the new building constructed immediately following the successful completion of the drive for \$100,000.

Officers of the Home for the Aged include M. Garfinkel, president; B. Lyman, A. Lichtenberg, and A. Cohen, vice president; S. L. Rabbey, recording secretary; M. N. Shearer, man, financial secretary; L. Cohen, treasurer; M. Korman, chairman of the house committee; and W. Tash, chairman of the congregation committee.

Officers in charge of the campaign include Dr. Harry S. Lewis, honorary chairman; B. Danzansky, chairman; M. Reichgut, recording secretary; W. Wechsler, treasurer; and Mrs. Charles Goldsmith, financial secretary.

on his "Christian Life" series. Moving pictures will be exhibited Thursday and Friday at 7:00 p. m.

**International Bible Students.** J. H. Hoeveler of Brooklyn will address the International Bible Students at the Lythian Temple tomorrow at 3:00 and 7:45 p. m.

**Theosophical Society.** Mrs. Harriet Tuttle Bartlett, divisional lecturer for the Theosophical Society, will lecture tonight on "The Message of the Great Pyramid" in Theosophical Hall, at 8:00 p. m. "Revelation in Truth" in the Bible is the subject for Sunday night, and Monday night she will talk on "The Masters and the Coming Great One."

**Young Women's Christian Association.** "Christian Missions Among Lepers" will be the subject of the lecture John N. Culbertson's vespers lecture at the Young Women's Christian Association tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

**First Spiritualist Church.** Alfred H. Terry, pastor of the First Spiritualist Church, will talk on "What do the Spirits Say?" at 8 p. m. tomorrow. The lecture will be followed by spirit messages.

**Church of Life and Joy.** Mrs. Alice Galer of the Colorado College of Divine Science, will talk on "The Joy of Living" at the New Thought Temple at 11:15 a. m. tomorrow at 11 a. m. In the evening, Dr. Harry Gaze has chosen for his topic "How Jesus Healed and How You May Heal."

**Physiotherapy.** "Soul Analysis" is the subject of an address by Dr. Lee W. Esterbrook, Physiotherapist at the Playhouse, 1814 N street northwest, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

**Church of Our Father.** Rev. Dr. L. M. Powers will preach at 11 a. m. tomorrow at the Church of Our Father on "Mind in Disease—Or Each His Own Healer." The topic of the Y. P. C. U. at 8 p. m. will be "Training Leaders for the Future."

**Church of the Covenant.** Rev. Charles Wood will preach at the Church of the Covenant on "The Hopefulness of Helpfulness," tomorrow at 11 a. m. In the evening he will take for his subject, "Meros." Thursday evening at 8 p. m. President Gates, of Hobart College, Constantinople, will speak.

**Petworth Methodist Episcopal.** Morning service, the pastor, Rev. G. Ellis Williams, will preach on "God in Nature." Evening, Canon William Sheafe Chase of New York city, of the Methodist denomination, will talk. The choir will render special music.

**Mt. Vernon Place (M. E. South).** At the service in the main auditorium, Dr. J. Howard Wells, presiding elder of Washington district, will speak on "On To Perfection or Let's Stop Playing at Religion." Rep. Fritz G. Lanham of Texas, will conduct services in the Sunday School auditorium. Dr. E. O. Watson of South Carolina will deliver the evening address on "Eyes That See."

**NEW YORK ASSEMBLY KILLS WELFARE BILLS**

Albany, N. Y., April 22.—A Republican caucus killed Governor Smith's welfare program tonight. The assembly then defeated the proposed laws. It also repealed the daylight saving bill. The governor refused to indicate his probable course in regard to the repeal.

The principal welfare bills killed were those to create a minimum wage commission for women; to provide for an eight-hour day for women in factory and mercantile establishments; a municipal milk pasteurization plant in New York City and State milk control; to abolish the State council of farms and markets and to create a new department of agriculture and markets.

Indications were that the governor's entire reconstruction program would be killed. The assembly sat throughout the night.

**"ROYAL PATCH" CLUB URGED IN CONGRESS**

Old clothes and not new overalls should be worn to reduce prices, Representative Sumners, Texas, declared yesterday in urging the formation of a club to be known as "The Patriotic Knights and Ladies of the Royal Patch."

As a symbol of the new organization, he suggested the wearing of a small piece of cloth held by a safety pin.

## With Best Birthday Wishes



THOMAS S. HOPKINS.

Lawyer, whose practice is confined mostly to international law, is receiving congratulations upon his 75th birthday.

Mr. Hopkins is a former governor of the D. C. Society of Mayflower Descendants and past department commander of the G. A. R. Department of Potomac, and past judge advocate general of the G. A. R. He is a Mason and belongs to the Cosmos and University clubs.



SENATOR NATHANIEL B. DIAL.

Of South Carolina, will celebrate his 55th birthday today.

Mr. Dial is now and for the last fifteen years has been a member of the firm of Dial and Todd. Washingtonians have learned that Dial is a pretty good friend of the District. The Senator from South Carolina is married, has a large family and lives here at 1852 Kalorama road northwest.

## WET DOINGS IN PENNSY START PROBE DEMAND

Congressional investigation of alleged "open and flagrant" violations of the prohibition law in Pennsylvania was urged upon "dry" leaders in the Senate and House yesterday by Robert E. Diffenderfer, of Ogontz, Pa., former Representative from the Eighth Pennsylvania district.

Diffenderfer told Senator Shepard, prohibition leader, and Representative Volstead, author of the enforcement act, that the Federal statute was not being upheld by the Federal officers in Pennsylvania, especially in the Scranton district where, he declared, bars are being operated in full force, and breweries are still making beer.

He presented clippings from a Philadelphia newspaper describing the alleged conditions under which liquor is being sold openly. These articles made the charge that the defiance of the law is due to the candidacy of Attorney General

## BRITISH TO ADOPT NEW IRISH POLICY

London, April 23.—Sir Hamar Greenwood, new chief secretary for Ireland, will inaugurate a more conciliatory policy, the Chronicle today understood.

There will be no more raids and wholesale arrests except in murder cases, it said, and "numerous small, irritating restrictions will be removed."

The cabinet, the newspaper added, has decided upon concessions to Ireland which will include, devoting 18,000,000 pounds of revenue from Irish taxes to use in Ireland, instead of England.

Supervision of customs and excises probably will be tendered to the Irish parliament, the Chronicle understood.

Palmer for the Presidency and an intimate relationship existing between the candidates on the Palmer State ticket and the traffickers in the alcoholic liquor trade.

## Wealthy, Retired Farmer, Ill, Kills Self by Shooting

(Special to Washington Herald.)

Winchester, Va., April 23.—Leonard H. W. Elosser, 75 years old, a native of Germany and a wealthy retired farmer, committed suicide this morning by shooting himself in the head with a shotgun. He used a ramrod to press the trigger.

His wife, formerly Miss Rosenberg, died three years ago, and he had since been living with his farm manager, whose family say they were awakened by the shot and found Elosser dying in a pool of blood on the floor of his bedroom.

He had been in ill health for some time. One son, Clarence, near Cumberland, Md., and one sister, Mrs. John B. Haines, of this city, survive him.

He was an uncle of Miss Grace Elosser, of Cumberland, Md., whose tragic death with her fiancé, Charles Twigg, of that city, caused a nationwide sensation some years ago.

## YOUNG PHELAN SAFE WITH DAD IN SOUTH

Louis Phelan, son of Representative and Mrs. Michael F. Phelan, of Massachusetts, living here at 2602 Connecticut avenue northwest, and Reynolds Condon, son of Mrs. Clarence M. Condon, of 1901 Baltimore street northwest, are now in Quebec, Louisiana, with Representative Phelan, according to an announcement last night.

The two boys, students at Western High School, left Washington for a trip after the Easter vacation, their parents report. The boys are expected to arrive back in Washington early next week with Representative Phelan.

## PRESBYTERIAN DRIVE WILL START SUNDAY

Presbyterian churches of the United States next Sunday will open a drive for \$25,000,000 for the New Era Movement Budget. The campaign will close May 1. Picked teams and leaders from the 5,000 churches in the country will attempt to call on all members.

Allotment to the church societies will be made immediately following the completion of the campaign.

In addition to the New Era Movement Budget drive, the Presbyterian Church is assisting in the Interchurch World Movement campaign to the extent of \$22,038,030.

**R. F. Kidd in Congress Race.**

Glennville, W. Va.—Former State Senator Robert F. Kidd today filed his announcement as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the Third West Virginia district.

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